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Congressman Dent commends British for foiling terror plot, calls for increased vigilance

U.S. Rep. Charlie Dent (PA-15), a member of the House committees on Homeland Security and Transportation and Infrastructure, today commended British law enforcement for foiling a terrorist plot against American-bound airliners, and called for increased vigilance against our terrorist enemies.

Congressman Dent made the following statement:

“I commend our British allies for disrupting yet another attempt to launch terrorist attacks against American and British civilians.

At this time I understand the British have arrested at least 21 suspects, and both U.S. and British officials believe there are more suspects at large. British officials said this attack was ‘intended to be mass murder on an unimaginable scale.’ Our enemy doesn’t need elaborate technology or bases of operation. All they need is their hatred.

This event reminds us that terrorists have not given up their goal of raining death and destruction on American civilians. We must continue to employ greater vigilance, improve intelligence and enhance security to defend the

American people against an ongoing threat. Terrorists have declared war on America, and we must fight them every step of the way.”

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